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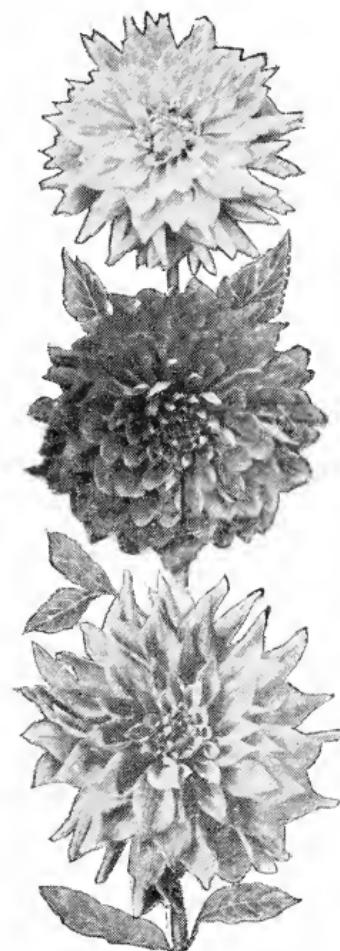
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Price List

Dahlia Plants of the Newer Varieties
and Others of Merit



Grown by

C. W. DIGGLE

PLAINVILLE, CONNECTICUT

New York and Boston Winners, 1926

JUST OUT

ELKRIDE. Winner Garden and home builder. Medal and Sweepstake Prize New York, 1926. Beautiful White Hybrid Cactus, strong stem and grower. Great substance, free bloomer. Plants \$5.00.

SHIRLEY EILEEN SHATTICK. Winner Silver Cup, seedling, Boston, 1926. Large clear Lavender Dec. long, stiff stem, strong grower, a beautiful flower. Tubers \$15.00; plants \$7.50. Scarce.

My plants are heel cuttings taken from healthy field grown stock. After well started they are grown in a cool house for some time before shipping. Large growers as a rule prefer green plants as the tubers grown from plants are more apt to be healthier than tuber grown stock. They are cheaper and will flower equally as well if not better than tubers if cared for and cultivated. A number of failures have been caused by lack of care and cultivation also to heavy feeding. Use caution and don't over fertilize. The best time to fertilize whether it be liquid or top-dressing, is in August when buds appear. I never put fertilizer in the hill, and never apply liquid fertilizer until after a good rain or watering.

In my advertisement I mentioned that I would offer combinations. This I have decided not to do for the reason a number would have some one variety that I might include, so I have decided on the request of a number on a different plan.

1. On all orders of \$10.00 you may select to the amount of \$12.50.
2. On all orders of \$15.00 you may select up to the amount of \$18.75.
3. On all orders of \$20.00 you may select to the amount of \$25.00.
4. On all orders of \$25.00 you may select to the amount of \$31.25.

Only one plant of a variety in above offers. Large orders a matter of correspondence.

AMELIA LASHER (Dec.). A seedling of Mrs. Ida De Ver Warner. A beautiful flower. The color is darker, a fine stem, a free bloomer. A flower when better known will be in great demand. A new Bedford Garden creation. Plants \$7.50.

ALEXANDER POPE (H. C.). A giant, of a beautiful crimson shade with a bright metallic luster. Plants \$3.50.

ADDA PATTERSON (H. C.). Pure white larger flowers, strong grower, long stiff stems, one of the best whites. Plants \$3.50.

ALICE WHITTIER (H. C.). Sulphur yellow, great depth given flowers. One of the best. Plants \$3.50.

C. P. R. (Dec.). An immense flower; color, buff yellow with magenta shadings, fine bloomer. Plants \$2.50.

CITY OF LAWRENCE (Dec.). One of the best yellows to date, very large and deep. Plants \$2.00.

COPPER KING (Dec.). Large flower held erect on stiff stem, copper and yellow red reverse. Plants \$2.00.

ELITE GLORY (Dec.). One of the largest to date, good keeper when cut. Regarded as a freak in the dahlia family. Rich red without any purple shadings. Plants \$5.00.

ELSIE DANIELS (H. C.) Long shaggy petals. Color, pale orchid shade on outer petal with white center. Dwarf grower, large flower, good stem. Admired by all dahlia lovers. Plants \$2.00.

EMMA MARIE (H. C.). A favorite because of its pleasing shade of clear pink with a creamy white center, good cut flower as well as exhibition. Plants \$1.50.

ELLINOR VANDERVEER (Dec.). A dahlia of exquisite beauty and great size having all good qualities. Sturdy grower flowers held erect above the bush. Color, rose pink. Plants \$2.50.

ELDORADO (Dec.). Large pure gold, deeper at the center. One of the best cut flowers. Free bloomer. Plants \$1.50.

ELIZA CLARK BULL (Dec.). One of the very best whites that we have to date from California. The flowers are large splendid formation. A beautiful flower. Plants \$2.50.

FORT WASHINGTON (Dec.) Here we have a flower that is admired by all and the best and largest of its color. Winner of many prizes for the largest dahlia in the show. Strong grower, good stems, height up to 10 feet. Color a dark mahogany red. No collection is complete without this one. Plants \$5.00.

FIRELIGHT (Dec.). A gorgeous yellow tipped with orange red shadings. Plants \$1.25.

FLAME LICK (Dec.) New 1926 brilliant flame red. Good stem, free bloomer. Petal seems to have a transparent tissue sheen. Plants need very little trimming. Plants \$5.00.

FARNCOT (C.). This cactus always attracts attention. One of the best keepers when cut. Color aster purple, tipped white. Plants \$1.25.

GEN. MCRAE (Dec.). Face of petals apricot buff suffused with gold reverse light coral red, large, well formed good stem. Plants \$1.50.

GOV. TRUMBLE (Dec.). A strong growing plant with large full flowers carried on long stems above the foliage. Color is pink faintly tinged with mauve. Don't miss it. Stock scarce. Plants \$5.00.

GEO. C. MEACHAM (Dec.). A deep full flower on good stems. Keeps well when cut. The face of the petals is pinard yellow, with a golden sheen. Reverse of outer petals opal red, inner petals rose, streaked with yellow. Plants \$2.50.

JERSEY RADIANT (H. C.). Bitter sweet orange. Large flower, stiff stems, well above the foliage. Very attractive. Plants \$2.00.

JERSEY BEAUTY (Dec.). So well known unnecessary to describe. Truly one of the very best dahlias to date. Color generally listed as pink. Plants \$1.00.

JERSEY BEACON (Dec.). One of the most attractive dahlias in the garden. Should be grown by all. Color chinese scarlet, lighter reverse. Plants \$2.00.

JERSEY IDEAL (Dec.). Very deep flower, large beautiful lavender pink. Good stem and best of habit. Plants \$5.00.

JERSEY EMPRESS (Dec.). Very large flower with a pleasing waxy petal, anthracene violet. Sun proof. Plants \$5.00.

JERSEY OLYMPUS (Dec.). New. A beautiful flower. Good stem and habit. Color hard to describe. A blending of mauve and pink. Scarce. Plants \$5.00 net.

JERSEY SUPREME (Dec.). A splendid variety. Large good form flowers, on strong stems. Color rosalane purple. Reverse, rosalane pink. Plants \$5.00.

JERSEY SUNSHINE (Dec.). Light greenish yellow, occasionally streaked with amaranth pink. Free bloomer. Good stem. Large flowers. Good formation. Plant \$5.00.

MARIE ANTOINETTE (Dec.). A large flower on good stem. Color soft yellow. Very pleasing flower. Plants \$2.50.

MARGARET WOODROW WILSON (Dec.). A good exhibition flower. Very free. Color opalescent pink. Reverse, phlox pink. Plants \$3.50.

MRS. EDWARD TAYLOR (Dec.). An extremely large flower on good stiff stems. A glowing rose pink. A beauty. Plants \$3.50.

MARMION (Dec.). Unusually large flower on strong stiff stems held well above foliage. Color golden yellow with bronze suffusions. New and scarce. Plants \$5.00.

MRS. GEO. C. MEACHAM (Dec.). A very beautiful new decorative, that is sure to be a winner. Face of flower is iridescent shadings of picric yellow and corinthian pink. Reverse, rose. A very delicate flower. Plants \$5.00.

MARION BROOMALL (H. C.). Pink and white combination on good stems, good form, very beautiful and scarce. Plants \$5.00.

MRS. HAPPIE BEDFORD (H. C.). Immensely large, pure yellow. Very free, a beautiful flower. Plants \$2.50.

MRS. ELLINOR MARTIN (Dec.). A very beautiful flower on good stem, unusual coloring, rose, with mulberry and gold shadings. Plants \$1.50.

PRIDE OF STRATFORD (Dec.). Large. A beautiful shade of glowing orange one of the best of its color. A flower that should be in every collection. Plants \$3.50.

PRIMULA REX (Dec.). Light cream yellow or primrose, immense flowers with every good quality. New. Scarce. Plants \$3.50.

QUEEN OF THE GARDEN (Dec.). Beautiful. Is all its name implies. A very large lemon yellow. Good strong stem. A fine keeper. Plants \$5.00.

ROWE'S ROSA BONHUE (H. C.). A very satisfactory and all around garden flower. A pleasing pink to cream center. Free, good stem. Plants \$1.50.

RORERT SCOTT (Dec.). Very large bold flower on fine stem. Apricot yellow, with faint rose shadings. A good one. Plants \$3.50.

ROSE FALLON (Dec.). The sensation of the 1925 New York Dahlia Show. Very large on excellent stems. Color warm tan, a color not much seen in dahlias. This is a variety no dahlia lover should be without. Once grown will never be discarded. Plants \$5.00.

ROBERT TREAT (Dec.). A color which attracts every one who enters the garden. A brilliant American Beauty rose color on fine stems. Good habit. Large blooms. Plants \$1.00.

SUSAN TEVIS (Dec.). Fine form and good size. Color lilac. Plants \$1.50.

SUSAN PECK MCANEY (H. C.). New this season. One of unusual merit. Color lemon yellow with asper pink shadings. Large flowers, good stem. Early and free bloomer. A. D. S. Certificate, 1926. Plants \$5.00. (Limited.)

SEPTEMBER MORN (Dec.). Pinkish lavender in color. Highest scoring dahlia at the trial gardens at Storrs in 1925. Very free. Best of stem. New this year. Plants \$3.50 net.

THE CARDINAL (Dec.). Large and deep flowers on fine stem. Good substance. Color cardinal red. Plants \$5.00.

THE BANDIT (H. C.). Spectum red with yellow at base of petals. Backs of petals, buff yellow, fine stem. Plants \$3.50.

UNCLE TOM (Dec.). Large flowers, held erect on stiff stem. Color very dark red, so dark as to seem almost black. Plants \$3.50.

THE GENERAL (Dec.). A deep garnet flower of unusual size, with a silver white reverse. The combination forming a bloom of remarkable coloring. Plants \$2.50.

THE SURPRISE (Dec.). The color of this dahlia is hard to describe. Generally listed as a deep wine shade. Very large deep flower, long stiff stem, free bloomer. Plants \$2.50.

THE PIRATE (Dec.). New. A very large deep maroon. Very dark. A beautiful flower. Good stem. Very scarce. Plants \$5.00.

WEST ROCK (Dec.). New. A yellow with gold tints. Very strong stem. Flower held erect above the foliage. Will withstand the strongest winds without breaking off stem. Plants \$2.50.

W. J. IRWIN (Dec.). No doubt this is the largest lavender dahlia grown. Dwarf in habit, very free. One of kind that attracts every visitor. A good one. Plants \$3.50.

I grow one hundred other varieties. Also have tubers of a number not listed. If you want any particular variety write me and I may have it.

Terms: 25 per cent cash with order, balance before shipment. No. C. O. D. orders.

If full amount accompanies order deduct 5 per cent if sent before March 15th, after that date no discount.

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All prices quoted subject to prior sale and all orders are filled in rotation. On a number of varieties the supply is limited, so order early.

Orders shipped prepaid parcel post. My method of packing insures safe delivery. If not satisfied return and I will replace or refund purchase price.

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I have a limited amount of Fort Washington tubers—also clumps.



